OBITUARY MENTION.

Boomer—Died at his home, 208 Rochester street, July 9th, Walter J. Boomer, aged 58 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Nellie H. Boomer; his mother, Mrs. Ellen J Boomer; three sisters, Mrs. M. B. Highriter of Meriden, Conn.; Mrs. Blanche Aubrey of Napa, Cal., and Mrs. J. C. Embley of New York. Funeral services were held at his late home Tuesday afternoon, Rev. F. W. Betts of Syracuse, officiating; interment in Mt. Adnah. [The] Fulton lodge of Elks conducted the service at the grave.

While the death of Mr. Boomer was not unexpected, yet there is a general sorrow in Fulton. He was born in Fulton and has resided here all of his life. For many years he has been engaged in business and was noted for his integrity and square dealing. He was one of the most companionable of men in the city and all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance held him in high esteem. And he loved his home town and her people. He was a liberal contributor to any movement to advance the interests of Fulton and he resented any remarks derogatory to Fulton and Fultonians.

Mr. Boomer was active in fraternal matters, being one of the charter members of Fulton lodge of Elks, an active member of Neahtawanta lodge of Odd Fellows, as well as of (?) tribe of Red Men.

He was also a member of the Universalist church society.

Mr. Boomer was of a cheerful disposition and in his daily associations with his townsmen he always had a smile for everybody and if he ever had anything to trouble him, none of his friends ever knew it. He was a real man and in his departure from our midst his absence will be noted with sincere regret by those who knew him best.

To the wife, mother and sisters, upon whom falls the loss irreparable, the sincere and heartfelt sympathy and condolences of the entire community is unstintedly extended in their season of bereavement.

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